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AMEMBASSY PANAMA

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SUBJ: TORRIJOS BRIEFLY VISITS VENEZUELA

EN ROUTE SPAIN FOR VACATION, GEN. TORRIJOS PAUSED BRIEFLY AT
MAIQUETIA SEPTEMBER 7, WHERE HE MET INFORMALLY BUT PRIVATELY WITH
PRESIDENT CALDERA FOR ABOUT TWENTY MINUTES. TORRIJOS ALSO SPOKE
BRIEFLY TO PRESS, EMPHASIZING PANAMA'S DESIRE REGAIN SOVEREIGNTY
OVER CANAL ZONE AND STATING THAT PANAMA WOULD SOON RENEW DIPLOMATIC
RELATIONS WITH CUBA. TORRIJOS TOLD PRESS HE HAD ORIGINALLY INTENDED
ATTEND NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE IN ALGIERS AS OBSERVER, THAT INVITATION
FOR PANAMA ATTEND AS FULL MEMBER HAD ARRIVED TOO LATE FOR GOP CHANGE
ITS PLANS, AND THAT DECISION HAD BEEN MADE FOR FONMIN TACK TO
REPRESENT PANAMA AS AN OBSERVER INSTEAD OF TORRIJOS.
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